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Whereas I/we the undersigned inventor(s) have invented certain new and useful improvements as set forth in the patent application entitled:

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For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I/We the undersigned inventor(s) hereby:

- 1) Sell(s), assign(s) and transfer(s) to Sun Microsystems, Inc., a Delaware Corporation, having a principal place of business at 901 San Antonio Rd., Palo Alto, California, 94303 (hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE"), the entire right title and interest in any and all improvements and inventions disclosed in, application(s) based upon, and Patent(s) (including foreign patents) granted upon the information which is disclosed in the above referenced application.
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